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RESPONSE

This communication is in response to an Official Action dated 29 April 2005. Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of all claims in view of the following remarks.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Claims 1-16 are pending and stand rejected. Claims 17-19 have been withdrawn from consideration under a pending Restriction Requirement. Applicant respectfully traverses all rejections and the pending restriction requirement.